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## THE OBSERVER.

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### NEWS AND COMMENTS.

According to the latest financial statistics from London there were in circulation in the world £840,000,000 in gold, £81,000,000 in silver, and £771,000,000 in paper.

Lizzie Borden polled nearly 100,000 votes in a World's Fair coupon contest conducted by the Boston Journal, but was unwilling to make the trip, and her next highest competitor will go to Chicago instead.

Mr. Henry Blount of the Wilson Mirror will leave for the West in the fall on a lecturing tour. He has made an engagement to deliver 100 lectures in October, November and December in Arkansas, Missouri and Kansas.

Eight thousand acres of land which was purchased recently near Taylor, is rapidly being disposed of at $24.50 per acre, the purchasers being Germans. It is believed that an extensive German colony will soon occupy the entire tract.

Gov. Carr has appointed J. G. Hall and C. A. Cilly commissioners on behalf of North Carolina to locate the position of North Carolina troops at the battle of Chicamauga, to act with the national authorities pursuant to the act of 1890.

The first bale of cotton of the crop of 1893 received at New Orleans arrived there on Thursday July 13, from Beeville, Texas. It weighed 586 pounds, and was sold by auction the following day for $81 to Mr. Alex. Serentine. Last year the first bale also came from Texas, reaching New Orleans on July 12.

"An "International Cold-Wave Company" has been organized in Dakota, and proposes to do business wherever cold waves are needed. Its methods are not disclosed, but the presumption is it will bottle up, by some process, a wave or two in winter and preserve it for distribution in summer, and that, like rainmaking, it is a humbug.

The closing down of many silver mines, smelters, and the reduction of the working forces of coal mines, railways and manufactories in Colorado because of the reduction in the price of silver has caused a deplorable condition of affairs among the laboring classes. It is estimated that there are 10,000 men in Denver unable to secure employment. There are 20,000 in outside towns in the same condition.

The agricultural department states that the North Carolina farmers are giving more attention to raising home supplies than ever before, and that there has been more bacon made during the last year than in any one for the last twenty-five years. All the growing crops are doing well with a little better prospect than last year. The fruit crop is reported to be very much better. These are encouraging items, as if the money can be saved at home it will add to the general prosperity.

The grand jury at Washington City has found a true bill against Col. Frederick C. Ainsworth, chief of the record and pension division of the War Department; George W. Dant, contractor employed to make the excavation for the electric light plant; William E. Covert, superintendent, and Francis Sasse, engineer of the building, holding them responsible for the Ford's theatre disaster of June last, in which 23 persons lost their lives and a large number of others were injured. The trial cannot take place before September.

Three-quarters of the best known physicians of New York, according to the New York Sun, were born south of Mason and Dixon's line, and are consequently only New Yorkers by adoption This statement is made upon the authority of an eminent physician on Madison avenue, who had an occasion to investigate the subject. The class of physicians referred to are those whose incomes are from $20,000 a year upward. They are men who have attained rank in the general practice of medicine. Many of them have distinguished themselves by important discoveries in medical science and surgery.

According to the report of the Railroad Commission there is now 3,571 miles of railroad in the State. It states that there was only 39 miles of road constructed during the year just closed and that one road, 16 miles of track of the Maxton, Alma and Rowland road, was taken up. The total assessment of railroad property in the State for taxation is $23,843,920.01. The Richmond and Danville system is assessed, 1,100 miles, at $7,163,459.92. The Atlantic Coast Line, 715 miles, at $6,680,377.92. The taxes on railroads this year will be $96,000, or about twice as much as was paid last year.

France has served verbal notice on England that she intends to blockade the ports of Siam. The Atlanta Constitution says: "What is England going to do about it?" This question was asked several times in Parliament yesterday and the replies of government representatives were vague. If England had a prime minister like Palmerston or Disraeli, there would be quick and decided action. But Mr. Gladstone is very averse to warlike measures. He has never pursued or advocated a vigorous foreign policy. The French continue their aggressive course in Siam and seem to be resolved to force an acknowledgement of their preposterous claims if they can. Poor little Siam is at the mercy of France unless some European power should intervene. It is a case of might against right, and the near future will tell which shall prevail.

Congressman Bynum, of Indiana, has been interviewed on the financial situation. He says: "I favor merely the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman act. That, however, would practically repeal the law. I don't think the Bland act will be revived and I do not believe that a free coinage measure will be substituted. Every effort is being made by the silverites to force free coinage upon the country, and they will undoubtedly make an earnest and exciting fight. A free coinage measure would almost be equivalent to giving every man who has paper the right of converting it into notes. The only difference would be that paper could be supplied a little more rapidly than silver could be minted. Again, it would be absolutely impossible to limit free coinage to that which is produced in America alone, and such a proposition, in my judgment, will never be entertained."

### SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE.

**Latest News from all Parts of the World, Prepared Especially for the Readers of "The Observer."**

The court-martial appointed to inquire into the loss of the battle ship Victoria has rendered a decision in the case of Hon. Maurice A. Bourke, captain of the Victoria. The court found that no responsibility attached to Capt. Bourke for the disaster and he was therefore acquitted of all blame. Captain Bourke's sword was returned to him by Vice Admiral Sir Michael Culme Seymour, commander-in-chief of the Mediterranean squadron and the president of the court, amid general congratulations. The court expressed regret that Rear Admiral Markham, who on the day of the disaster, was on the Camperdown in command of the port column, did not carry out his original intention and ignore the signal displayed by the Victoria, in attempting to obey which the Camperdown rammed and sank the Victoria. ——A cable to the Herald from Panama says a private telegram from Nicaragua announces that the Leon revolutionists have captured the city of Managua. The details have not been obtained. The importance of the capture cannot be over estimated, as it will give them control of the capital of the republic with all the moral effect and prestige it implies. —— The First National and the Spokane Savings banks, of Spokane, Wash., have suspended. ——A political crisis has occurred in Servia. ——A man, a wagon and three horses were completely blown to pieces by the explosion of nitro glycerine in Pennsylvania. ——The Archduke Franz Alexander, heir presumptive of the throne of Austria, will probably pay a visit to this country at an early date. He will come *incognito*. ——The First National and the Montana National banks, of Helena, Mont., have failed. ——Russia orders her Pacific squadron to Siamese waters. ——The governing committee of the New York Stock Exchange has decided to take no action in regard to closing the exchange for a few days, as proposed. ——A Cincinnati judge decides against the anti-cigarette law. ——The City bank of Portage, Wis., has suspended. —— The Oregon National bank and the Northwest Loan and Trust company, of Portland, Ore., have suspended. ——Vice-President Stevenson has gone to Victoria, B. C. ——The electrocution of W. G. Taylor, at Auburn, N. Y., took place Thursday. The dynamo broke down with the first shock of 1,700 volts and the prisoner revived. Power had to be got from the city electric works before he was finally dead. ——Tickner & Co., publishers, of Boston, have made an assignment. —— Cotton and belting mills of Cincinnati, close down, throwing 500 men out of employment. ——The Farmers' National Bank at Mt. Sterling, Ky., and the First National of Middleboro, Ky., suspended Thursday. ——The American Tube Iron company, of Middletown, Penn., goes into the hands of a receiver. —— The Pall Mall Gazette says France has accepted Siams proposals and the matter is settled. ——Governor Carr pardoned William Garren, convicted in 1880 of horse stealing. His course since his escape from the penitentiary has been quite remarkable. ——Old State bonds to the amount of $49,000 were received by Treasurer Tate for exchange. —— The business agency of the State Alliance will probably have to pay purchase tax. ——Mr. Snow, of Illinois, candidate for sergeant-at-arms of the House, has opened headquarters in Washington City. ——In consequence of the New York banks agreeing to aid the exchange houses, nearly $3,000,000 in gold was shipped by the latter from Europe one day last week. ——The cashier of the Pittsfield, Mass., National bank committed suicide. —— A number of mills in Massachusetts, Maine and Rhode Island will shut down for four weeks, throwing 5,000 people out of work.—— A reported death from cholera at Chester, Pa., proved, on investigation, to have been a case of aggravated cholera morbus. ——Hiram Young, of South Carolina, assaulted a little 10-year-old girl. He will most probably be lynched if arrested. ——Mr. Cleveland is spending the last days of his vacation in completing his message to Congress. ——Dun & Co.'s weekly report says the business of the country has emerged from the financial distress of the last week with remarkable strength; that the New York banks have sent West from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000 each day; that the Western bank failures have caused less disturbance than might have been supposed; that the iron business grows less active. Bradstreet says that the volume of general trade has been restricted, and there has been no improvement of business as a whole; that there is practically no change for the week at the South. ——The Southern base ball league will be divided into two sections. ——It was semi-officially announced Friday that the French blockade of the Siamese coast would go into effect immediately. ——The Elleboro, Wash., National bank has suspended. ——The Mitchell bank, of Martinsville, Ind., has gone into voluntary liquidation. ——Col. Ainsworth and his co-defendants will be tried in October. ——At Dresden, Tenn., a negro was lynched for killing his brother-in-law. ——Another bank at Mt. Sterling, Ky., suspends. ——There have been forty cases and twelve deaths from a disease supposed to be cholera in the province of Corunna, Spain. ——The advance guard of the horde of Colorado miners coming east has reached Missouri. All the railroad tracks are swarming with them. ——Horatio D. Averill, of the New York Consolidated Exchange, has failed. ——Goldsmith & Son, jewelers and diamond dealers, of New York city have made an assignment. ——Extensive coal mines in Texas close down indefinitely, throwing a large number of men out of work. ——Secretary Carlisle says he cannot extend the time for payment of the tax on bonded whiskey. ——The State of Chihuahua, Mex, has passed a law making cattle stealing a capital offense. ——The British Chancellor of the Exchequer says the question of making gold the legal tender in India has been left to the discretion of the Indian Government. ——Six cotton mills in Burrillsville, R. I., close down. ——The gold tide has now fairly turned and heavy importations have begun and the reserve will soon be over $100,000,000. When that mark is reached the treasury will again issue gold certificates. ——The President has appointed James T. Kildreth to be collector of customs at New York city and Walter H. Burr, of Coopertown, to be appraiser of merchandise for the district of New York. ——D. T. Nolle, of Wilson, N. C., applies for three patents on his inventions. ——The Wilsonians say they have sufficient charges to cause the removal of their colored postmaster. ——Ada Hiers, a negro woman, was hanged at Walterboro, S. C., for the murder of her half brother.

### University Courses for Teachers.

The following courses of study in the University have been arranged especially for teachers. Instruction will begin September 7. *Bona fide* public school teachers will receive free tuition, others will pay at the usual rates.

A. PROFESSIONAL COURSES.

1. *The History of Education:* Ancient, Medœval and Modern:

(*a*) The history of educational institutions, theories and methods.

(*b*) Criticisms upon the same.

(*c*) The reading of educational classics.

II. *The Principals of Education:*

(*a*) Study of laws of the human thought and the mental growth of the child.

(*b*) Study of selections from philosophical literature, the theories of Plato, Aristotle, Kant, Lake, Milton and others.

III. *Educational Criticism:*

(*a*) Education reformers and critics.

(*b*) Analysis of their arraignment of existing practices.

IV. *Educational Civics:*

(*a*) The teacher in relation to the school and the State.

(*b*) Relation of the State to education.

(*c*) Sociological aspects of education.

(*d*) State and city systems of education.

(*e*) School supervision.

B. TEACHER'S ACADEMIC COURSES:

I. *Languages and Literature:* English (four courses), Latin or Greek (each two courses), French or German (each two courses).

II. *Mathematics:* Algebra, geometry, trigonometry and surveying.

III. *Science:* Chemistry, physics, geography, physiology and botany.

IV. *History and Philosophy:* History (four courses), psychology, political economy.

V. Constitution and laws of U. S., Constitution and laws of N. C., rights and duties of citizenship.

Every teacher and every young man intending to teach is cordially invited to this instruction. The time to enter is either September 7, 1893, or January 4, 1894. I shall be glad to correspond with persons interested in these courses.

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Chapel Hill, N. C., July 24, 1893.

### A Rattler's Awful Eye.

Cor. Pomona Progress.

I have a genuine snake story to tell the readers of the Progress, and I can vouch for the truth of my statements.

As I was several miles out in the country, riding horseback from Pomona to Etiwanda last Saturday, I saw a jackrabbit still only a few feet from the road. I drove up close to the animal, which still refused to scamper away. On the contrary, the rabbit stood or sat transfixed to the spot, though making a constant nervous, shuddering motion, as if anxious to get away, but at the same time being held to the spot.

I was surprised that the rabbit did not flee at the approach of myself and horse; and when I looked a little sharper I saw a large rattlesnake coiled up under some bushes, his head uplifted, about six feet from the rabbit. I shall never forget the scene. The rabbit was looking with indescribable eagerness straight at the slowly approaching snake and heeded nothing else. I dismounted, and seizing a long stick, by force pushed the rabbit away, when the snake instantly swelled with rage and sounded his rattles. I wounded the snake and despatched it. The rabbit for a second seemed benumbed, and was hardly capable of motion. This was over quickly and the animal hopped away.

Now this is no doubt a pure case of snake-charming. There are many who refuse to believe such things. I have always had my doubts about some of the alleged charming powers of the reptiles, but to one who is familiar with the eyes of rattlesnakes it does not seem unreasonable that they have such power.

If you will examine the eye of one when he is cold in death, you will perceive that it has an extremely malignant and terrible expression. When he is alive and excited, I know of nothing in all nature of so dreadful appearance as the eye of the rattlesnake. It is enough to strike with terror more than birds and little animals.

I have on several occasions examined the eye of a rattlesnake closely with strong glasses, and feel with all force what I state, and I will tell you that there are few men on the face of the earth who can look upon an angered rattlesnake through a good glass—bringing him apparently within a foot or two of the eye—and stand it more than a moment.

### Southern States Magazine for July.

The July number of the Southern States magazine, contains several striking features of a distinctively Southern character. The leading article is a finely illustrated description of some Southern exhibits in the World's Fair, by Thomas P. Grasty. H. S. Fleming contributes an interesting article on the old Chesapeake and Ohio canal, beautifully illustrated from photographs made by the author during a trip over the canal in a launch. The two stories of Southern life which were awarded the prizes offered by the Southern States are published in this number. One is a powerful story of Georgia mountain life by Mrs. Kathleen Gray Nelson, of Atlanta; the other is a pathetic tale of Florida "cracker" life and character by Mrs. Byrdie Herndon Hansbrough, of Leesburg, Fla. There is an amusing North Carolina dialect sketch by Thos. C. Harris, and a short poem by Chas. J. Bayne, of the Augusta Chronicle. Mrs. Harriet Peirce Sanborn traces the growth of poetry in the South, and Col. John L. Black, a former South Carolina slaveholder and cotton planter, contributes a strong paper on the cheap labor of the South. The climate and crops of Texas form the subject of an article by Dr. I. M. Cline. The editorial departments are full of interesting discussions of Southern topics and items about the progress of the South.

### The Birth-Place of Vice-President William R. King.

Cor. of the Sampson Democrat.

It seems there has been some doubt with many as to the birth-place of Vice-President, Wm. R. King. It has been stated that he was born in New Hanover county and not in Sampson as many claim. Before I came to the county, eight years ago, all that I knew of William R. King I learned from history, and it was settled in my mind that Sampson was his native county. But recently I have heard again and again that this was incorrect.

To satisfy myself and the public, I have made inquiry of some old people—relatives of his; also I have searched among old family records of the family to which he was closely connected. I now give to the public what I learned by perusing the old records. In doing this I must go back to the first settlers of that branch of the King family of which he was a member.

About the year 1750, two brothers, William and Stephen King, settled in Sampson county, Stephen on the land now owned by Mr. A. V. Royal, not far from his residence in Piney Grove township.

He owned a large body of land and was a man of considerable wealth. He has two grand children now living in the county about five miles from the old King settlement on the A. V. Royal plantation. The other brother, William, the father of the Vice-President, settled about one mile north of his brother, Stephen, on the land now owned by Mr. J. D. Lindsey. He was also a large land owner and had considerable wealth in stock and slaves. Near the residence of Mr. J. D. Lindsey, he built a large house which at that time was considered the finest building in that section of country, signs of the basement may be seen now. In this house on April 1st, 1786, William R. King was born. When quite an infant the house was destroyed by fire. His father then made a new settlement on the land now owned by Mr. J. M. Marshburn about one mile north of this place in the extreme northern part of Piney Grove township. The place is still known as the old Wm. King settlement. Here the parents of Wm. R. King are buried, and at this place Wm. R. King spent his boy-hood and attended the country schools until he was admitted as a student at the University of N. C., where he completed his education.

After leaving the University, he came back to his native county and for a while followed surveying. Politics then engaged his attention, and he represented his county in the State Legislature, and the State in Congress in 1811 and 1816. After serving his last term in Congress, he moved to Alabama and settled in Cahawba county. Elected U. S. Senator from that State in 1819. Appointed Minister to France in 1844, and elected Vice-President the ticket with Franklin Pierce in 1852. He died in April, 1853, and was buried in the State of his adoption. Daniel King and L. C. King, two of his second cousins, are now living in Newton Grove township.

J. D. EZZELL.
Hobbton, N. C.

### AND THERE STANDS DIXIE.

**Why the South Has Not Felt the Hard Times as the North.**

Louisville Courier-Journal.]

It is pleasant to know that the South has learned the lessons of business so well, and applied them so faithfully at the right place, that when commercial distrust is making a record of failures and bankruptcies elsewhere, comparatively few disasters of the kind are reported from the South. This cannot be because little was ventured, for there has been activity in a great variety of enterprises at the South. It must be because the South, under the same unfavorable conditions that applied to the West and Northwest has had the prudence to hold credits sufficiently in check and to keep herself solid and solvent.

The experience of 1890 was not thrown away. That severe attack of the speculative fever cleared out the adventurous and forewarned the sagacious. Considerable sums were lost, and many worthy enterprises will for some time to come suffer from the sad experience of investors in cornfield town lots and electric-lighted swamps. But the people never lost faith in their resources or confidence in themselves and the future. They have had the good sense to take a broad view of the financial situation. They have silenced the blatant agitators who roared up and down their land two years ago, scattering seeds of visionary theories and plucking good sense by the beard as a slave of the money power. The South was not to be driven pell-mell into camp by political guerrillas with axes to grind. It looked abroad to get its bearings, and, getting them, had, as usual, the manliness to shape its course accordingly.

The same good sense that took in sail when financial storms began to blow, and that neither ran blindly upon the rocks of bankruptcy on the one hand nor desperately upon those of agrarianism on the other, is making converts every day in the South to rational, conservative views of the best public policy to be pursued by the nation in the present monetary crisis.

### The Shepherd One Ahead.

Golden Days.

It is related of Lord Cockburn, the English chief justice, that one day, on his Scotch estate, after a long stroll, he sat down on a hill-side beside a shepherd, and observed that the sheep selected the coldest situation for lying down. "Mac," said he, "I think if I were a sheep I should certainly have preferred the other side of that hill." The shepherd answered: "Aye, my lord; but if you had been a sheep you would have had more sense."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

### MILLIONS GO UP IN SMOKE.

**Startling Figures of the Loss of Property by Fire.**

The Chronicle, the organ of the underwriters, has in its statistics for 1893 presented some very interesting facts which are well worthy the consideration of economists. Several years ago the country was startled to learn that property to the value of $100,000,000 had gone up in flames and smoke in a single twelve-month. In 1891 the $100,000,000 had grown to nearly $144,000,000 and in 1892 to about $152,000,000. The following table of losses is at least instructive:

| | Aggregate property loss. | Aggregate insurance loss. |
|---|---|---|
| 1875, | $78,102,285 | $39,327,400 |
| 1876, | 64,630,600 | 34,374,500 |
| 1877, | 68,266,800 | 37,398,900 |
| 1878, | 64,345,900 | 36,575,900 |
| 1879, | 77,703,700 | 44,464,700 |
| 1880, | 74,643,400 | 42,525,000 |
| 1881, | 81,280,900 | 44,641,900 |
| 1882, | 84,505,024 | 48,378,131 |
| 1883, | 100,149,218 | 54,806,624 |
| 1884, | 110,008,611 | 60,679,818 |
| 1885, | 103,818,796 | 57,430,709 |
| 1886, | 104,924,750 | 60,506,564 |
| 1887, | 120,283,055 | 69,659,508 |
| 1888, | 110,885,665 | 63,965,734 |
| 1889, | 123,046,833 | 73,679,465 |
| 1890, | 108,993,792 | 65,015,485 |
| 1891, | 143,764,967 | 90,576,918 |
| 1892, | 151,516,098 | 93,514,936 |
| Total, | $1,769,839,404 | $1,018,018,202 |

In 18 consecutive years $2,000,000,000, lacking less than $250,000,000, have been consumed, gone to absolutely nothing, as when property is burned up, no matter how heavily it may be insured, it is destroyed, lost beyond all recovery. The loss to the country is not a cent less because the insured gets the amount from the underwriters. It has been annihilated, and that is the end of it. A country should be exceedingly rich that can afford to suffer the loss by fire in 18 years of $1,769,839,407. Such a loss, growing yearly, suggests what a very young, extravagant, reckless people the Americans are.

Fires, conflagrations, are avoidable in the larger number of instances. Not one has occurred in Florence, Italy, it is said, for 30 years. The reason is plain enough—in Florence all houses are built fireproof. We are only beginning to build what we call fireproof edifices. Many of them are that only in name, and the common rule is, even where tinder boxes are not built and called buildings, the destructive flue is connected with adjacent woodwork. We build to burn rather than not to burn. It is a luxury to build in that way, and if the country is willing to pay for it from $100,000,000 to $150,000,000 a year there is really no reason why the country should not have and enjoy it. But it does seem as if the country could get more fun out of such a sum in another way than that of indulging in fires and conflagrations.

### WEALTHY INDIANS.

**The Delawares Gets a Large Installment of the Funds of the Tribe.**

Special to the Richmond State.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—Ex-Representative S. M. Peel, of Arkansas, has left for the Indian Territory, where he will pay the Delaware Indians the second installment of the trust funds belonging to the tribe. It amounts to $500,000. It is interest on their trust funds of $8,000,000 paid to them under the act of Congress, which provided that they should be given custody of it whenever, in the judgment of the Secretary of the Interior, they are sufficiently civilized. The Delawares are the richest tribe on the face of the civilized globe. Mr. Peel was selected as special agent to perform this duty because of his familiarity with Indian matters, acquired by long services, first as a member and then as chairman of the House committee on Indian affairs.

His bond is $1,000,000, the largest ever filed in the Indian Department. It was made up voluntarily by his friends in three days' time. He would like it well understood that he is not carrying any of the Indians' money with him. The train robbers of that section could not make day wages by going through him. Beyond a return ticket and a basket of lunch, he has nothing to tempt them. The money will be paid in drafts and Mr. Peel's duty is merely one of superintendency of the payment.

### How a Duel was Spoiled.

San Francisco Argonaut.

A certain Irishman, having been challenged to fight a duel, accepted the conditions after much persuation. His antagonist, a lame man, walked on crutches. When the place for the shooting had been reached, the lame man' seconds asked that he be allowed to lean against a milestone which happened to stand there. The privilege was allowed, and the lame man took his stand. The Irishman and his seconds drew off to the distance agreed upon 100 feet. Here Pat's courage suddenly failed him, and he shouted to the lame man, "I've a small favor to ask of ye, sor." "What is it?" asked the cripple. Pat answered, "I told ye that ye might lean agin the milepost, and now I would like the privilege of leaning agin the next one." The laugh that followed spoiled everybody's desire for a fight and the whole party went home without a shot having been fired.

### The Tallest Kings.

The exact height of Napoleon I. is variously stated by biographers at 5 feet 1 1-2 inches, 5 feet 2 inches, and 5 feet 2 1-2 inches. Several monarchs have been below the average height. Pepin, of France, was known as the short, and Napoleon III. was rather below the common height of men. The two tallest kings in history were probably Charlemagne and Maximinus of Rome. The former was over 8 feet high, and so strong that with his thumbs and fingers he could straighten three horseshoes at once. Maximinus, the Roman Emperor, was 8 feet 6 inches, and incredible stories of his physical strength are told by ancient historians.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.


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### Why the Hat is Necessary.

The London Lancet says: Perhaps no article of clothing has been more freely criticised in respect to its utility than that which lexicographers describe as "a covering of the head." Some, instructed by the example of savage races and of others wildly different in various ways, among them the leaders of feminine fashions, whose crowns of gossamer may be practically disregarded, would have it that the hateless condition is that most characteristic of mankind. Against their opinion we find arrayed the combined force of civilized usage in every climate. From pole to pole we find that man if he dresses at all dresses the head. Even if bootless and guiltless of such minor attributes as waistcoat and collar, he covers the head with some form of clothing. Nay, the very savage, though he may know nothing of silk or felt, will often so decorate his vertex with feathers or so weave its own natural wool that not even the conventional European cylinder could protect it more effectually. Surely there must be reason in all this. There is a clearly conscious need which exists not merely in the imagination. It is thus practically admitted that although the head, like any other part of the body, may, after having suffered the attrition of atmospheric variations, become inured to their action, it still loses somewhat in the process. In the first place it is evident that in this conflict only the fittest can hope to survive. Civilized man will not endanger his chance of survival by risking the experiment. Further, he finds that the inferior animals thus exposed undergo external changes which do not often, if ever, tend in the direction of refinement, and instinctvely he shuns the possible return of coarseness and barbarism. He also, recognizes the fact that, given a wholesome costume in head clothing, the consequent effect will be as healthy as it is becoming. Foremost among the sanitary principles which ought to control usage in this matter are two—the avoidance of any but the lightest pressure and the admission through the texture worn or by special apertures of sufficient air for free ventilation of the head. If these elementary considerations be duly regarded and sufficient protection be provided against changes of weather we shall find man the better, not the worse, for wearing his "covering for the head."

### Wanted Good Neighbors

Citizen.]

David S. Tarbell, a representative of the Cincinnati Post, has written two very interesting letters to the Post concerning Asheville and its surroundings, from one of which letters the following extract is taken:

"In the southwestern portion of Vanderbilt's estate of 9,000 acres is a tract of 14 acres which the millionaire does not own. The little piece is owned by a negro named Collins, who makes his living by hauling on Asheville's streets. When Mr. Vanderbilt commenced to purchase he struck a snag when he came to Collins. The negro finally named a price that was $600 more than the highest figure offered him by Vanderbilt. The millionaire at first refused to pay it, and when he finally did agree, Collins refused to sell at any price. In vain the money king pleaded and threatened; the negro remained firm, and Vanderbilt could not buy. Collins cooly remarked that what he wanted in this life was good neighbors, and that now he had the chance for the first time. He said that he especially liked Mr. Vanderbilt, and believed he would be a nice neighbor. Then Vanderbilt fenced in the negro's property, being compelled, of course, to allow him an outlet. And so this state of affairs exist. Some day Vanderbilt will give him an immense sum and Collins will be 'well fixed' for life. And somebody else will likely get a bite out of the purchase money also.

### Russia's Vast Area

Chicago Tribune.]

One only gets an idea of the stupendous extent of Russian territory and especially of Siberia, by comparisons. Gen. Zabotkine, chief of the engineering arm of the Russian navy, arrived at the Richelieu yesterday. He said, through his interpreter: "I am only stopping over to see the Exposition while on my way to inspect fortifications at Viadivostock, in Eastern Siberia, one of our outposts. I am making the trip by way of San Francisco and Yokohama. No, it is not a roundabout way. By taking this route I enjoy all the facilities of comfortable travel, with only a few days of discomfort from Yokohama. Should I attempt to go by the way of Russian territory, I could not make the return to St. Petersburg before next December. By the American route I see your Exposition, coming and going and reach St. Petersburg in September.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

### Failures in South and West.

The fact that there have been so few failures in the South, says the Wilmington Star, compared with the West since the present monetary disturbance began has attracted attention to this section, and has been a subject of favorable comment at home and abroad. The bank and business failures have been few in number and the aggregate amount involved small, compared with the West. This is attributed to the more healthy condition of this section, and to a better and more conservative management of our business affairs. It is attributed also to the greater resources of the South, and to the growing industries of trucking, fruit raising, &c., which have put much money in circulation in the South and made considerable business for the railroads operating in this section. Mr. W. R. Lawrence, of the London Financial Times, who has been making a tour of the South, is quoted as saying, "I am going back to England with quite a cheerful feeling in regard to Southern railroads. In fact, I think the South looks as though it would be the most prosperous portion of the country this year. Iron industries are bad, but almost everything else looks well. Truck farming has increased enormously since I visited the South last. It is becoming a great source of revenue for both the people and the roads." It is his opinion that this will stimulate the investment of English capital in Southern industries and in Southern railroads. Another thing which no doubt has attracted attention, and will have a good effect, is that there has been no excitement or wild talk in the South, while some portions of the West have gone wild and talked war, repudiation, and lots of other irrational stuff, which is calculated to make capitalists with money to loan or invest steer clear of that section and seek others, where they will deem their loans or investments safe.

### An English Observer in Chicago.

Chicago Cor. London News

It is only in the far west probably that the old race of spitters keep up the best practice. In the cities, at any rate, you seldom see men who tilt back in their chairs, put their heels on the dinner table and take the fire irons at 40 paces. Civilization is progressing when you must not talk about spittoons, but demand that utensil under the name of "cuspidor." Still the most prominent notice in the Woman's building is, "Do not spit on the floor." A man stood beside me as I read this. He wore a slouch hat, to which Buffalo Bill's would be simply a fashionable bonnet in size, trickles of rich tobacco juice wattled his mouth like a barbel's, his boots were models for a coffin maker.

Noticing, I dare say, a twinkle in the corner of my eye, he said slowly and with that grim, smileless humor benefitting a slabsided hero from Indiana way, "Say, now, do they mean that we must take a shot at them pictures?" There is certainly a suspicion of local option suggested in that sentence. Better to have gone on the principle of some other notices which, without waste of printers' iuk (and composition), meet your eye everywhere: "No admittance. Go out!

### The Length of the Extra Session—It May Run a Year.

Washington Special, 12th, to Philadelphia Times

Regarding the length of the extra session perhaps there is no man whose views are worth as much as those of Senator Voorhees, of Indiana, chairman of the committee on finance. He was at the White House this morning and Private Secretary Thurber asked him when he thought the extra session would come to an end. He replied: "Congress will meet August 7, 1893, and it will not adjourn before August 15, 1894."

Representative Wilson, of West Virginia, who is one of the very close observers of events, was in Washington to-day, and was asked what he thought would be the length of the coming session. "It has always been my belief," he said, "that the extra session will be continuous, and that no recess will be taken. Under any circumstances, however, the tariff question will be considered. So soon as the committee on ways and means is announced the tariff will be taken up by them, and even should there be a recess before the regular session in December the committee will continue to have sessions for the consideration of the new tariff law which the committee will report to the House.

### Skewered and Cured.

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## *SENATOR VANCE.*

Upon the appearance of Senator Vance's first letter, we took occasion to say that he was right and the gold-bug disloyalists whom he was resisting were wrong; that it was they who proposed to violate the Chicago platform, not he. This view seemed to us to be so natural and inevitable that we were amazed at the misconceptions of his letter which shortly thereafter appeared in several of the newspapers. Possibly we had the advantage of some of our contemporaries, for this writer happened to be sitting with Senator Vance in the Fifth Avenue hotel in New York on the 23rd of February last when a newspaper reporter called to get the Senator's views on coming legislation and to ask if he thought the demands of the Chicago platform should be carried out by the Democrats. "Yes," said the Senator, with emphasis, "*every one of them.*" This is the key-note of Senator Vance's action. He saw in the finance part of the Chicago platform five distinct propositions. The aggregation of them was in the nature of a compromise. They did, in fact, embody a compromise between the gold-bug wing of the party and the extreme silver wing. By the extreme silver wing, we mean those who insisted upon the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, no matter what might be the market price of silver, or what the action of other nations might be respecting a ratio. As a loyal Democrat, Senator Vance accepted the Chicago platform in its entirety and in good faith. As a man of ordinary common sense, it doubtless never occurred to him that any sane person could take a different view of the finance compromise in the platform from his—viz: as a bargain which had to be carried out in all its parts, or be utterly subversive of the intention of those who made it. That is to say, it probably never occurred to him that any one could take such different view of such a simple matter until he saw the monstrous call from the North—bearing fruit here and there where it struck favorable soil in the South—for the "unconditional" repeal of the Sherman law. Here was a direct assault on the Chicago platform, the Democratic law, by persons professing to be Democrats. Why "unconditional," when the Chicago platform in effect distinctly says that the repeal shall be conditional? The very expression used by the Chicago platform to describe the Sherman law, "a cowardly makeshift," which has been so much quoted by the gold-bugs, indicates what was in the minds of those who drew the platform, viz: that the Sherman law was a bad substitute for a thing that must exist in some form. What form, what *better* form, the representatives in Congress of the party, if victorious, would decide.

Aided by the shuttlecock arrangement between India and Wall Street, the gold bug disloyalists hoped to rush through their scheme before the people could catch their breath or recover their senses. It was a rascally scheme, literally a rascally scheme, for it sought to rob the people, under the form of law, of things of value. If Senator Vance was the only one of our public men who had the sense to perceive the danger, and the courage to proclaim it and resist it, so much the worse for the rest of us. Perhaps, however, he recognized the absolute trust reposed in him by the people of North Carolina, and felt it incumbent upon him especially to give them the benefit of his political experience and knowledge. Besides, it was stated in the public press that many Southern members of Congress had actually succumbed to the money power, or had lost their heads under the fury of the assault, and were going to vote for "unconditional" repeal. Such a state of affairs demanded a heroic remedy, and Senator Vance has probably never given a more striking illustration of his sound political judgment than in the particular means which he used to arouse the State and set up the counter-irritant. In our judgment nothing else could have done it, and it becomes daily more evident that public opinion has settled down to the same conclusion. Recall the state of public sentiment in this State two weeks ago. It was freely stated, and without indignant protest, that a majority of our Congressmen would vote for unconditional repeal. The proposition of the gold bugs seemed to fall upon listless ears, and to awaken not the slightest spirit of resistance among our Democratic people. To-day, there is not a Democrat in the State who would dare to say he is in favor of unconditional repeal!

We think it was a pretty good day's work when Senator Vance wrote his letter. No greater service has been performed for North Carolina in half a century.

In a technical way—that is, from the legislator's standpoint—Senator Vance has given the public some information on a point well understood by public men but not much thought of by the masses. Thus:

The pledges of the platform are joint and not separable on the subject of silver money. You cannot select one, the repeal of the Sherman law for example, and propose to redeem it alone and denounce those who insist on the fulfillment of all, as untrue to the party or differing from it. *Nor will men of common sense who are loyal to the purposes they profess surrender the advantages of their position.* The law now in existence can be kept thus by the non-concurrence of either the House, the Senate or the President to its repeal; whereas, that Sherman law once repealed, the measures (whatever they may be) which are to take its place—to continue the use of both gold and silver, maintain their parity, remove the tax on State bank circulation and the like—would have to be passed by affirmative legislation requiring the concurrence of all three branches of the law-making department. No sensible man acquainted with the situation can believe for a moment that these measures could be passed under such circumstances. The power of that combined capital which has forced the calling of the extra session and is threatening to destroy again, and finally, the use of silver money, would certainly be able to influence at least one branch of the legislative department, which would be sufficient for their purposes. Be not deceived; evil communications corrupt good politics as well as good manners. *The professed friend of silver money who will favor the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law, trusting to the justice of capital or the chapter of accidents to get favorable legislation thereafter, is either a traitor or a fool.*

Now let us consider for a moment, who it is that has caused this commotion in the State, more especially this flutter among the secret and anonymous enemies of the Democratic party.

Who is Zebulon B. Vance?

Let the patriotic North Carolinian, in the face of the recent demonstration against him, blush with shame as he recalls the career of the greatest of Carolinians.

No purer public man ever lived in North Carolina. We do not believe he ever did a public act from a selfish motive. In this particular matter of silver, we do not profess to have any information on the subject, but we have no doubt that Senator Vance, who is not only not in debt but is a man of property, is acting directly against his personal interests. It is likely that this part of the matter never entered his head, one way or the other. He was a public servant, and he sought to ascertain and to do what was best for the people. That was all. Senator Vance was raised among a school of public men in North Carolina who would have considered themselves dishonored if they allowed their private interests to govern their public action. At the present day, unfortunately, many prominent men unblushingly justify their acts on the ground that their private interests require it.

But who is Zebulon B. Vance?

Recall the young Congressman, who in the campaign of 1860 made such an extraordinary reputation as an orator that Mr. Badger said to the late E. J. Hale in the writer's presence, "He is the greatest stump speaker that ever lived."

Recall the great War Governor of North Carolina, who, in a time of unprecedented difficulty, greater than in any of the other States, conducted North Carolina through the most perilous years of her existence, and with greater glory than any of them achieved, North or South.

Recall this same man, singled out from among all the Southern Governors to be a vicarious sacrifice for his people along with Mr. Davis—thrown into prison at Washington under the implied charge of treason.

Recall him again, shortly after the war, elected to the United States Senate, and refused admission because he had been so true to his people.

Recall him yet again, when at last he was admitted to the Senate, turning himself into a student that he might the better serve his people on the floor of the Senate, in their defence against the tariff, the money power, and all the other children of centralization. And yet again, as such a successful student that he is to-day one of the most learned men in America, and, so far as we know, the only North Carolinian who is known in the great world of Europe. A few years ago, at a banquet of the Cobden Club, such men as John Morley, the Marquis of Ripon, just then returned from being Vice Roy of India, Justin McCarthy, Karl Blindt, and Yves Guyot, eargerly enquired of this writer about "your great man, Vance."

Such is the lion whom some of the jackals of Wall Street have been barking at these three years past, since his overtaxing studies and labors smote him so that they thought he was dead. His recent very virile demonstrations have probably undeceived them.

The "Great Commoner" might afford to die now, after this last great work in behalf of the people of North Carolina, but it is evident that he is good for a good many more years of the highest order of service to the people who have both honored and been honored by him.

His hold upon North Carolina is not one whit diminished, as his enemies have for three years past been so sedulously endeavoring to make it appear to be. It is evident that he is quite as strong with the people of this State as he ever was. No better evidence of this could be desired than the effect of his letters, which in a few days' time have created a revolution, literally a revolution, in public sentiment in the State.

What Senator Vance's hold upon North Carolina is, has been truthfully described by a distinguished Georgian, who said, "No man in any State has ever been so popular with all the people of his State as Zebulon B. Vance with the people of North Carolina."

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Gentlemen of the Democratic party, the "gray-haired Senator" has more wisdom and experience than we. He has been a more consistent and persistent Democrat than the most of us. He does not believe in the evolutions of the ostrich which sticks its head in the ground and thinks its whole body concealed. The Democratic party, for the first time in many years, is in a minority in North Carolina, a minority of 14,000. We won the other day by a plurality. We would have been beat except for the fact that the Third party was inchoate and union with the Republicans could not be accomplished. There is no one who keeps his eyes open who does not know that the two will combine next time. What have we been doing to draw back to ourselves those of the Alliance who would still be Democrats if they could? Worse than nothing. The threat from the North of the violation by the Democratic party of the Chicago platform, and the statement, no matter how untrue, published everywhere that the bulk of the North Carolina Delegation would vote with the gold-bugs, is causing us to lose votes every day. Senator Vance's letters indicate to the better class of the Alliance,—without whose assistance, remember, we cannot win, next time—that there is still a Democratic party that stands for principle and not merely for the catching of votes on false promises.

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There will be sixteen States in the approaching Congress without a single Republican from them. They are Arkansas, Cororado, Deleware, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, Nevada, South Carolina, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia, Wyoming and Alabama.

## *CORRECTION.*

In the leading editorial in last week's issue, "Silver and Gold," a table of the commerce of sundry nations, and the "per capita" share of the inhabitants of those nations, was given. The point was to show the commercial grade of each nation by the average amount of the commerce it enjoyed for each inhabitant. This was correctly shown in the table. In the second column, however, which purported to give the aggregate commerce for each nation, the amounts given were all 10 times too much—a clerical omission having been made to strike off the final cypher in averaging the figures of commerce for 10 years. The error does not affect the argument at all, and the statistically-inclined reader no doubt detected the nature of it at a glance, but it is proper that the table should be correctly printed.

The table as given was as follows:

| | Total in Millions of Dollars. | Per Inhabitant. |
|---|---|---|
| Australia | 3,700 | $148 |
| Holland, | 5,000 | $135 |
| United Kingdom, | 32,000 | $97 |
| Belgium, | 5,000 | $95 |
| Canada, | 1,600 | $40 |
| France, | 14,000 | $40 |
| Scandinavia, | 3,000 | $37 |
| Germany, | 15,000 | $35 |
| South America, | 6,000 | $24 |
| United States, | 10,000 | $23 |
| Egypt, | 900 | $18 |
| Italy, | 4,500 | $16.50 |
| Greece, Turkey, &c | 1,500 | $16 |
| Austria, | 5,000 | $15 |

It should have been printed as follows:

| | Total in Millions of Dollars | Per Inhabitant. |
|---|---|---|
| Australia, | 370 | $148 |
| Holland, | 500 | $135 |
| United Kingdom, | 3,200 | $97 |
| Belgium, | 500 | $95 |
| Canada, | 160 | $40 |
| France, | 1,400 | $40 |
| Scandinavia, | 300 | $37 |
| Germany, | 1,500 | $35 |
| South America, | 600 | $24 |
| United States, | 1,000 | $23 |
| Egypt, | 90 | $18 |
| Italy, | 450 | $16.50 |
| Greece, Turkey, &c., | 150 | $16 |
| Austria, | 500 | $15 |

## CURRENT COMMENT.

Dr. Kingsbury's treatment, in his big-souled way, of the Vance incident, is beyond all praise. As soon as he knew the truth, his commendation of the "Great Commoner" was unqualified.

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That was a well played game of the gold-bugs by which the boohoo of the Eastern banks in this country was made to frighten poor Lansdowne in India so terrifically that Lansdowne had to frighten our people back again. According to the statement of Lord Lansdowne, the Viceroy of India, as now quoted in the Baltimore Sun, "India suspended free coinage of silver at the time it did because the tone of the American Eastern press left no doubt upon his mind that the United States Congress would, as soon as it assembled, repeal the Sherman purchasing act, and India found it necessary to be beforehand with the closing of its mints."

## *NORTH CAROLINA AT CHICAGO.*

In the July number of "The Southern States," the monthly magazine published by the Manufacturers' Record of Baltimore is a description, written by Thomas P. Grasty, of the noteworthy Southern exhibits at Chicago. North Carolina, as will be seen, is given the highest place—and this the result, not of the adequacy of the provision made by the State, but of the uncommonly fine work of those who were entrusted with the preparation of this exhibit.

Says the article referred to:

The various exhibits of North Carolina, as has been said, show so much good management as to deserve a special description. Only $25,000 was appropriated and that did not become available till March 14, last. A State board of managers was created, composed of the board of agriculture and the national commissioners of North Carolina. Of this board Col. W. F. Green is president; Mrs. Florence Kidder, vice-president; P. M. Wilson, executive commissioner, and T. K. Bruner, secretary and commissioner of exhibits.

There was not money enough for a State building and for adequate exhibits in the four great departments in which North Carolina stood ready to compete with the world, namely, the Agricultural, Fisheries, Mining and Forestry. Accordingly every energy was bent upon preparing displays in these departments which collectively would stand a chance to win the prize, and which separately, each in its way, would indicate existing conditions and future possibilities.

In the forestry exhibit made by North Carolina, the plan adopted was to show planks four feet long and four inches thick; the upper half highly polished, the lower simply dressed. Above each plank is a photograph, 22x30 inches, of the identical tree from which the plank was sawed, and above this another photograph of the same size showing a section of the forest in which the tree grew. Over one hundred of these planks are in the display, each labeled with its proper scientific and popular name. To each is attached a map showing the portions of the State in which that particular kind of timber occurs. There are also in the exhibit full photographic illustrations of the turpentine industry in all its phases. There is besides a wonderful collection of medicinal herbs made by Wallace Brothers, of Statesville. Palmetto trees from Smith's Island shade the four corners of the space containing this forestry display from "the old North State." The timber was collected by Mr. Gifford Pinchot, forester of Mr. Vanderbilt's great estate in North Carolina. The maps were drawn by Mr. W. W. Ashe, of the North Carolina Geological Survey, who wrote an article for the May number of the Southern States Magazine on the Foresty of North Carolina. This exhibit is under the special care of Mr. George F. Greene. North Carolina has the advantage of a double exhibit, as there is a very beautiful and unique display of timbers and photographs sent by Mr. Vanderbilt from his Biltmore estate.

North Carolina's mineral exhibit occupies a large and conspicuous space at the corner of the two main aisles in the Mining Building. It attracts constant attention alike from technical and plain every day people on account of the great range and variety of its contents and the perfect system shown in classification and arrangement. The exhibit embraces both economic and precious ores, stones and metals. There are iron ores, copper ores, building stones, marbles, gold ore, gold nuggests and 180 varieties of gems, including diamonds, hiddenite, sapphires, rubies, beryls, rose garnets, topaz, amethysts, emeralds and quartz crystals. These were collected under the special direction of Mr. T. K. Bruner, commissioner of exhibits. One of the most striking features of this mineral department of the North Carolina exhibit is a display of mica, one crystal among the many weighing over 300 pounds. The collection of the ores was superintended in part by Professor J. A. H. Holmes, State Geologist. Mr. H. B. C. Nitz, of the State Survey, made a technical collection of iron ores, and came here and put the exhibits in place, labeled carefully and correctly. Mr. R. Earnes, manager of the Gold Hill mines in Rowan County, made the larger part of the collection of gold, silver and copper ores. The sand-stones, the cut and polished specimens of granite and marble are well worth investigation on the part of builders. A column of ashler work five feet in diameter, from the Mount Airy quarries, is another attractive feature of the display. It would be difficult to call for a mineral not to be found in this exhibit.

The Southern State exhibit, which causes the greatest surprise to sight-seers at the World's Fair, is that from North Carolina in the Fisheries Building. All the food fishes of the State are shown, not mere casts but mounted specimens. There are aquatic birds and game water fowl; a pen of living diamond-back terrapins; models of all the different kinds of nets and appliances for catching fish, among them one of the enormous seines, a mile and a half long by thirty feet deep, used on the North Carolina coast. The accompanying illustration shows a fisherman's hut made of salt-marsh bullrushes. Mr. H. H. Brimley, of Raleigh, is in charge of this fine display.

The agricultural department of North Carolina's exhibit embraces probably the largest variety of products shown by any State or nation. The portion of it devoted to tobacco contains the finest and costliest kinds grown in the United States. It is made up largely of what is known as "Virginia Bright," of which as much as 80 per cent. of the total product of the two States of Virginia and North Carolina is grown in the latter. It got to be called "Virginia Bright" because most of it was marketed in Virginia cities. There is cotton in every stage of growth, with cereals, grasses and truck-garden products in infinite variety. There are even live tea plants. Soils from various portions of the State are so arranged as to show the strata from the surface to a depth of several feet. There is a complete assortment of North Carolina's phosphate rock. The agricultural exhibit was collected under the supervision of Dr. H. B. Battle, director of the State Experiment Station, and is in charge of Mr. Joseph Gill of Raleigh.

The horticultural exhibit of North Carolina now contains only fruits in glass jars and thirty varities of native wines, the principal vineyards represented being Hoyt's of Buncombe County, "The Tokay" at Fayetteville and "The Medoc" of Halifax. The wines include champagnes, clarets, imperials and scuppernongs. Fresh fruits of every kind will be shipped from the State and shown in this exhibit as they mature. Later on one of the features, which will be a novelty to most visitors, will be scuppernong grapes, discovered and made famous by Sir Walter Raleigh. Professor Saunders, of the United States Pomological Department, recently said that North Carolina was the best apple orchard in the Union.

I have thus given special prominence to the display made by North Carolina, because it shows how much may be done with very little money; because it is in every respect significant and representative; because it embodies a correct idea. It says so much and says it so well that Mr. Wilson, the Executive Commissioner, and the experts in the several divisions who helped him prepare it and install it, deserve the meed of praise not only from the people of North Carolina but of the whole South. Good judgment and economy were exercised even in designing the cases, tables and racks, which are all of oak, and which, instead of being destroyed after the Exposition, will be taken back and used in a permanent museum at the State capital.

## A BUGLE BLAST FROM VANCE.

### The Grand Old Man Demolishes His Enemies.

GOMBROON,
NEAR BLACK MOUNTAINS, N. C.,
July 27, 1893.

DEAR SIR:—I take no exception to your comment on my recent letter to the Mecklenburg County Alliance, beyond the fact that you authoritatively designate me as differing from my party, and misrepresent my words with the letter before you. The charge that a Democrat is at variance with his party, who refuses to favor the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law, depends for its truth on what the party laid down in its platform at Chicago, if promises and pledges amount to anything. Let us see: The Chicago platform demands inter alios, the repeal of the Sherman law, as a cowardly makeshift, an obstruction to the free coinage of silver, etc. The obvious meaning of this is, if that law was out of the way we could have free coinage (I quote from memory, having no copy of the platform before me). That is one of the things I propose to put in place of the Sherman law; and I propose to vote against repeal unless that be done. If my party is opposed to that, then its utterances at Chicago were insincere and intended to deceive; if it was sincere, then I am trying to stand on the platform. Again, it pledges the party to the use of both gold and silver, on equal terms, without discrimination against either as to coinage, et cetera. Now, if we cease to coin one and refuse to tender it in payment even of obligations which by the contract are payable therein, we do discriminate against that metal in coinage and virtually cease to use it. In opposing the repeal of the Sherman law without some substitute preserving the use and coinage of silver, I am squarely with the party, and those who favor unconditional repeal are not with it but are violating its solemn pledges.

Again, the platform pledges the party to such legislation as shall maintain the parity between gold and silver, so that a gold dollar and a silver dollar shall be interchangeable and one as good as the other. Now, in objecting to the repeal of the only law on our statute books which binds us to the use of silver at all, without some substitute or condition tending to make good the promises of the platform, no honest man can doubt that I am with and not against the party which made those promises. The only possible way to avoid this conclusion is to assume either that those promises were fraudulent and not binding, or that the party has since changed its position and now favors abandoning silver altogether, and of neither of these propositions is there any proof acceptable to me. The pledges of the platform are joint and not separable on the subject of silver money. You cannot select one, the repeal of the Sherman law for example, and propose to redeem it alone and denounce those who insist on the fulfillment of all, as untrue to the party or differing from it. Nor will men of common sense who are loyal to the purposes they profess surrender the advantages of their position. The law now in existence can be kept thus by the non-concurrence of either the House, the Senate or the President to its repeal; whereas, that Sherman law once repealed, the measures (whatever they may be) which are to take its place—to continue the use of both gold and silver, maintain their parity, remove the tax on State bank circulation and the like—would have to be passed by affirmative legislation requiring the concurrence of all three branches of the law-making department. No sensible man acquainted with the situation can believe for a moment that these measures could be passed under such circumstances. The power of that combined capital which has forced the calling of the extra session and is threatening to destroy again, and finally, the use of silver money, would certainly be able to influence at least one branch of the legislative department, which would be sufficient for their purposes. Be not deceived; evil communications corrupt good politics as well as good manners. The professed friend of silver money who will favor the unconditional repeal of the Sherman law, trusting to the justice of capital or the chapter of accidents to get favorable legislation thereafter, is either a traitor or a fool.

I cannot conclude my letter without expressing both my surprise and sincere regret at other statements in your editorial. Hints that my letter gives aid to Republicans and Third party men I was prepared to see, as also the coupling of my name with that of "Maryann" Butler, by such a lying money toady as your "able" correspondent, "God-Bug," but I know of nothing in your past life or my own which led me to expect such things from you.

In the closing paragraph you speak of my letter as containing "a public and deliberate avowal of sympathy with the financial policy of the Farmers' Alliance." Now, sir, unless you assume what no intelligent man will grant, that the maintenance of silver as money is exclusively the "financial policy" of that organization, a re-reading of my letter would at once have shown you that there was not one word of truth in the statement; NOT ONE. Read the letter over and see if you are not compelled to confess that you spoke too soon.

I am squarely on the Democratic platform; I want all its pledges kept, those which favor the people as well as those desired by the bankers and brokers. If the refusal to serve them first without some guaranty that the people shall participate also, puts me out of the Democratic party, you will, my dear sir, if you live a few months longer, see the greater part of that party deliberately walk out of itself—leaving nothing behind but a smell of brimstone and Wall street.

Yours respectfully,
Z. B. VANCE.

### Washington Letter.

From Our Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, July 31, 1893.

President Cleveland, all his cabinet, Speaker Crisp and most of the members of Congress will return to Washington this week, prepared to grapple with the most serious condition of affairs this country has known for years, and that democratic statesmanship and wisdom will find a way out that will be safe, if it does not at first meet with the approval of everybody, is as certain as that Congress will meet next Monday. It is particularly noticeable that this is the predominating sentiment among democratic Congressmen already in Washington. However wide apart they may now be they are all certain that some way will be found for getting together in the end.

Among the compromises already suggested is one that appears to be rapidly gaining ground. It is to simply repeal that clause of the Sherman law which compels the purchase of 4,500,000 ounces of silver bullion a month by the Treasury, or to merely adopt an amendment to the law authorizing the purchase of silver to be made or not made in the discretion of the President, and to let it go at that for a few months, in order to determine what other silver legislation may be necessary. A number of democrats who favor the free coinage of silver have announced their willingness to support this compromise at the extra session, leaving the question of further silver legislation to be determined at the regular session. There are not enough members of Congress yet in Washington to hazard a prediction as to even the probability of the adoption of this compromise, and some of those here say they prefer awaiting the recommendations to be made by President Cleveland's message before committing themselves.

Representative Neill, of Arkansas, says: "The Sherman silver law is vicious and ought to be repealed, but bad as it is it is not responsible, in my opinion, to anything like as great an extent for the financial stringency as McKinleyism is. McKinleyism must be wiped out before the country can get all right again."

The financial situation is quite bad enough without exaggerating it, and the statement that 200 National banks have failed since the first of January, which has been widely published, is a gross exaggeration. The total number of suspensions has been 105—two in New England, two in Eastern states, 15 in Middle and Mississippi Valley states, 6 in Northwestern states, 55 in Western states and 25 in Southern states—and of this number only 37 have actually gone into the hands of receivers. Of the remainder a number have resumed business and many more have good prospects for doing the same shortly.

Mr. Logan Carlisle very properly takes issue with the ridiculous statement made by a civil service Commissioner Roosevelt as to the government clerks being about evenly divided between the political parties. Mr. Carlisle is chief clerk of the Treasury and he says the statement of Roosevelt is worse than ridiculous when applied to that department. He says further: "To say that ten per cent. of the classified clerks in the Treasury were democrats at the beginning of this administration would be putting the per centage too high. In some large bureaus there was not a single democrat." Roosevelt's statement was made because of Secretary Carlisle having stated it to be his intention to give the democrats a show by dismissing the inefficient clerks in his department. Deputy Commissioner Bell says that less than 20 per cent. of the classified clerks in the Pension Office are democrats, and it would be safe to say that the percentage will not run over that in any of the departments.

"Republicans," said a member of Tammany, "are talking nonsense when they say that President Cleveland's appointment of two democrats not members of Tammany to be Collector and Appraiser respectively of the port of New York is a slap at Senators Hill and Murphy, and their only object is to create dissension in the democratic party. After giving Tammany the postmastership it was perfectly natural that Mr. Cleveland should reward the wing of the party that worked for his nomination. As a Tammany man I should, of course, have been glad to have seen all the federal offices in New York City given to Tammany men, but I did not expect it, and, while I have no authority to speak for either of them, I am satisfied that neither Senator Hill nor Senator Murphy expected it. They always take care of their friends when they have an opportunity and they both have too much manhood to attempt to make a fuss because Mr. Cleveland has exercised the same privilege, I feel certain that no objection will be heard when those nominations come up for confirmation in the Senate."

### The Coming Financial Battle.

Wil. Messenger.

It is not so very certain who will win in the great silver fight ahead in the Congress. Recent dispatches from Washington show much doubt upon it. It is actually said a straw may turn the scale when the vote is taken. The Goldbug organs have been supremely boastful and denunciatory. They may have cause to sit down in the ashes of defeat and scratch themselves with potsherds. But it is given out that the general belief is that the Sherman law will be repealed. Much will depend upon this—after repeal then what? Shall the Democratic plank—the law of the party be carried out—shall a law favoring bimetallism be enacted? There are several Senators, it is reported, who will gladly vote for the repeal provided they are given a double-standard in some form. There are some very pronounced opponents of a double standard—silver and gold—among the Democrats. They are said to be Brice, Gibson, Gorman, Gray, Faulkner, Vilas, McPherson, White and perhaps one or two others.

Those who will vote for repeal if they can get some other legislation to prevent the demonetization of silver are said to be, among Democrats, Butler, Blackburn, Call, Daniel, Gordon, Hill, Pugh, Turpie, Vorhees and Walthall. Then it is given out that those who wish to retain the Sherman law or "something better" are, among the Democrats: Berry, Cockrell, Coke, Colquitt, George, Harris, Irby, Jones, of Arkansas, Morgan, Palmer, Ransom, Vance, Kyle and one or two others. It is conceded that the margin is very close. There are many opinions among the members as to the ratio adopted in case of free siver coinage. This and other points must be settled further on.

The New Yorlk World is not sanguine, we judge, of the war of the Goldbugs upon silver. It says this:

"The truth is that the effort to repeal the Sherman act will be met by stubborn resistance. The strongest advocates of free coinage are able men. They are experienced parliamentarians and they have devoted followers. They are full of resources, and they are willing, so Senator Jones says, to avail themselves of every means in their power to prevent a majority from voting repeal.

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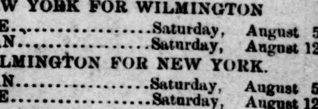

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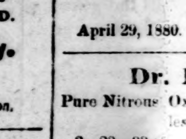

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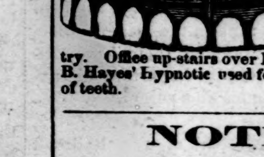

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The editor of the OBSERVER is still confined to bed with malarial fever.

An excursion train left here at 8 o'clock this morning for Wilmington.

The F. I. L. I. Company's Band are having practice meetings twice a week for the Centennial celebration.

Dr. Melchor's wife in stepping from the house to the yard last Sunday fell and fractured her left arm near the wrist, causing a very painful wound.

Mr. Hill, brother of Rev. Dr. Hill, formerly of this city, who is the private secretary of Hon. Geo. D. Wise, of Virginia, has been promised an excellent place in the Navy Department.

The Washington excursion, F. P. Williston and Elijah Lane, managers, which started from Wilmington on Monday, carried 72 people from there, and when the train left this city the party numbered 82.

We have received a neat pamphlet issued by the Salem Female Academy setting forth the many advantages of that most excellent institution and containing a handsome engraving of the building and grounds.

A great improvement has been made on upper Hay street, by the removal of several small wooden shops, owned by F. I. L. I. Company. The company proposes to build a magnificent Opera House there in the near future.

The Presbyterian congregation will worship at the Baptist Church on Sunday morning, to which they have been invited to witness the services incident to the installation of Rev. Mr. Edwards. The usual services (with collections) will be held Sunday night. Preaching by the pastor—Rev. A. J. McKelway.

Several car loads of beautiful granite from the Mt. Airy quarries, have arrived for the building of the Court House on Gillespie street. The building when finished will cost $20,000. The contractors, Elliott & Elliott, of Hickory, N. C., propose to have the building completed by July 1, 1894.

**Eureka Springs.**

Misses. Laura Thomson, May Broadfoot, Laura Banks, and Marion Mallett chaperoned by Mrs. Starr went out on Tuesday evening to Eureka Springs to spend a week. Nice quarters have been built and comfortably furnished on a high hill overlooking the Springs.

**Dr. Faison.**

It is with great regret that we learn of the intention of Dr. W. F. Faison to return to Jersey City to accept his old position as surgeon to one of the city hospitals there. Dr. Faison has made himself very popular here, and considering the short time he has been among us leaves quite a large practice.

**Death of Mrs. J. E. Gilmer.**

The OBSERVER is pained to learn of the death of Mrs. J. E. Gilmer, which occurred on Sunday morning at her home in Winston. The deceased lady was the sister of Dr. Lash, the able President of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway, and the beloved wife of Capt. J. E. Gilmer, who is one of the most honorable and in all respects admirable gentlemen known to this writer.

**A Terrible Accident.**

One man was killed and four persons injured by the collapse of Rockfish Bridge last Thursday. The men were employed in repairing the bridge when one of the benches gave way, carrying four others with it. It is miraculous how any one escaped alive as it was all done in a seconds time, and without any warning. Mr. Henry Nunnalee, very popular in this section, was the person killed, and those injured were: William Rayer, Jerry Baker, Martin Cameron and Alfred Gilmore. We understand that the injured men are progressing favorably.

The County Commissioners have taken steps to rebuild the bridge at once.

**Teachers and Others.**

The Seaboard Air Line will convey a special party of North Carolina teachers, and others that choose to go, to the World's Fair on August 8th. Thirty-three dollars and ninety cents includes railroad fare both ways, with meals and lodging at "first-class hotels" for one week in Chicago. Those who prefer, can secure a ticket not including board for $21.90. The train will leave Raleigh at 6:30 A. M. of the day appointed.

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For nearly a year past a systematic robbery of papers from this office has been going on. As there can be no other object than to sell them to transient readers who have no reason to suspect that they were obtained dishonestly, we appeal to the public to assist us in finding the guilty party or parties. THIS THE PUBLIC CAN DO BY REPORTING ANY CASE IN WHICH A COPY OF THE OBSERVER IS OFFERED FOR SALE OUTSIDE OF THE OBSERVER OFFICE.

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**F. I. L. I. Centennial—Invitations Extended—Favorable Replies Received from Two Companies Already—Committees Appointed to Carry Out Programme.**

To the invitations extended by the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry Company to various military organizations to be present and participate in its Centennial Anniversary celebration, two responses most assuring have already been received. The Richmond Blues, replying through their Commandant, Capt. Sol. Cutchins, in a letter expressive of the pleasure participation at the celebration would afford, signify their intention to come. Likewise the Washington Light Infantry Battalion, of Charleston, S. C., write, through their Commandant, Maj. Alex. W. Marshall, their determination to come and help celebrate on the occasion of an event so conspicuous in the history of any organization.

The following committees have been appointed for the Centennial celebration:

*Committee on Invitation*—Maj. John B. Broadfoot, Maj. W. F. Campbell, Capt. J. C. Vann, Sergt. R. S. Haigh, Corp'l Jas. G. Hollingsworth.

*Committee on Reception*—Capt. Benj. R. Huske, Maj. Jno. B. Broadfoot, Capt. Jno. C. Vann, Corp'l T. S. Whitted, Privates N. H. McGeachy, Jno. B. Tillinghast, N. B. Alexander, J. H. Culbreth, Isadore Rosenthal, W. A. McMillan, J. A. Worth.

*Committee on Targets and Prizes*—Capt. E. L. Pemberton, Corp'l Robt. Strange, Private C. B. Ledbetter.

*Committee on Fireworks*—Serg't W. C. McDuffie, Jr., Corp'l J. G. Hollingsworth, Corp'l J. H. Robinson, Jr.

*Committee on Ball and Decoration for Armory*—Sergt. Leighton Huske, Privates C. L. Campbell, Jno. B. Tillinghast, Marsden Haigh, Corp'l Jno. H. Robinson, Jr.

*Committee on Banquet*—Maj. W. F. Campbell, Corp'l J. C. Huske, Serg't W. C. McDuffie, Jr., Corp'l Rob't Strange.

*Committee on Music*—Capt. Thos. McGilvary, Capt. J. C. Vann, Private H. R. Novitzky.

**A "Tar Heel" in Texas.**

Often we are given the opportunity and pleasure to chronicle good tidings of one and another of the "tar heels" who have fared well in their adopted homes in the far West. Mr. W. L. Murphy, of whom we speak at present, is a native of Cumberland, now residing in Mexia, Texas, whither he moved about 20 years ago. What follows we clip from the "Mexia, Ledger," and is a happy allusion to his worth and esteem in which he is held by his fellow citizens, and which no doubt will afford gratification to his friends and acquaintances in North Carolina:

The Ledger is pleased to notice that our fellow-citizen, W. L. Murphy, has been strongly mentioned for the position of bank examiner for Texas, and his recommendations are such as to call forth the hearty approval of Comptroller Eckels. Prominent among the recommendations is one from Hon. O. T. Holt, of Houston, one of the delegates at large from this state who elected President Cleveland. As a financier Mr. Murphy has no peer in this section. During his connection as cashier of the First National Bank at this place, from the date of its organization ten years ago, he has, by his management, with a capital of only $50,000 created a surplus fund of $27,500, paid out $35,000 in dividends and now the bank has a fund of over $7,000 undivided profits to its credit. He is regarded as one of the safest and most conservative business men in this section and a gentleman of unimpeachable integrity, and should he get the appointment we feel sure will perform the duties of the position in a manner highly satisfactory to all interested.

**The F. I. L. I Centennial.**

Fayetteville and the Independent Company has a good friend in our neighbor the Chatham Record—whose editor H. A. London, Esq., by the way, is one of the very best posted editors in the State, and has long edited a paper of great service to the Democratic party. Mr. London always comes to our Cumberland Fairs and often, we believe, to the Independent Company's Anniversaries at one of which, not long since, he was the orator of the day. In the last issue of the Record we find the following:

The Centennial anniversary of the organization of the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry will be duly celebrated on the 23rd of August, and we doubt not that it will be a most notable occasion—one worthy of the ancient and delightfully hospitable town of Fayetteville, which is so justly proud of a military organization that in age is second to but one other in the United States, and in its brilliant record of brave men is second to none. Every anniversary of this grand old company has always been duly celebrated, and from personal experience we can refer with peculiar pleasure to one of its anniversaries, a few years ago, which we so much enjoyed as an honored guest of the occasion.

**The First Baptist Church and the New Pastor.**

Rev. J. Hartwell Edwards, Pastor-elect of the First Baptist Church of this city, arrived on Tuesday afternoon via Coast Line. Under the auspices of the Board of Deacons a reception was tendered Mr. Edwards and family at the parsonage, and on Sunday next, August 6th, the congregation of the First Baptist Church will hold special services in installing him as their new pastor.

The OBSERVER is pleased to acknowledge the cordial invitation, extended it through the committee of arrangements, to be present on the occasion.

The public generally are invited to attend the services of Sunday morning and evening. The resident pastors will take part in the special services of installation. Rev. L. G. Broughton, of Winston, will preach the sermon.

The Elders' and Deacons' Institute at Red Springs is an unprecedented success. The crowds are large and enthusiastic. There were 2,000 people on the grounds on Sunday. Dr. Hoge, Dr. Shearer, Dr. J. H. Smith, Rev. Thornton Sampson and other visiting divines are already at the Springs, and the most attractive part of the programme is yet to be produced. The speeches and addresses have been of a high order of merit. Do not fail to attend the Institute.

We under stand that a large number of North Carolina's, South Carolina's and Virginia's charming belles will be here during Centennial week.

**A Solution of the Financial Question.**

A Gentleman who has recently travelled extensively in Georgia, is quoted by the Savannah Morning News as follows: "For the first time in twenty-five years the farmers are actually independent. They have all they need at home, and are not in debt to the merchants. At every small town in south Georgia the merchants report that they have sold less meat, corn and hay this year than in any year since the war, and what they have sold is chiefly to turpentine and millmen. In many counties the farmers have bought no meat at all. Instead, they are selling meat and corn to the merchants, a most unusual state of affairs. Corn and meat are to be had in large quantities in the wire grass, and the merchants, instead of selling these articles to the farmers, are buying from them and shipping to Savannah. There is plenty of corn to be had at fifty cents a bushel. One merchant who sold seventy three boxes of meat last year said he had only one this year, and other merchants were found with meat in stock which they could not dispose of. At Cairo, down in southwest Georgia, the farmers seemed to be particularly well situated, having plenty at home and buying nothing. In Worth county it was asserted that the farmers had not bought a pound of meat this year, and that they had 5,000 bushels of corn to sell. The consequence of this happy state of affairs is that the farmers are not worrying their minds about the financial situation, as the people in the cities are doing. One farmer sized up the situation pretty well when he said: 'I have fat horses and mules, fat cows, fat hogs and plenty of corn in the barn. I owe nobody, and I don't care a continental if every bank in creation bursts.'"

Is the like of this true of North Carolina? Is it true of Cumberland? What a blessed condition would our people be in, if it were even approximately true!

**The Elders' and Deacons' Institute.**

The Elders' and Deacons' Institution, which began its sessions last Friday at Red Springs and has continued there with such remarkable success during this week, will close its labors on Sunday.

Concerning these Bible Institutes, the Orphans' paper published at Barium Springs, and called *Our Fatherless Ones*, has this to say:

Last year Fayetteville Presbytery took a step forward in holding a meeting at Red Springs for the study of the Bible, especially as bearing on the duties of elders and deacons. In every respect it was a success. The attendance was good, the discussions able and the interest deep. At the same place a like meeting is to be held this summer, beginning July 28 and continuing till August 6. Fayetteville's example is to be followed this summer by Concord and Mecklenburg Presbyteries. Their meeting is to be held at Gastonia from August 23 to 29, and from the effort put forth by the joint Committee of the two presbyteries there is every promise that the meeting will be all that can be asked. It is to be hoped that all ministers, elders and deacons within the presbyteries will attend and that many private members may take this opportunity of hearing important subjects able discussed.

It is believed that this movement inaugurates a new era. The strength of the Presbyterian church lies in its eldership. The advancement of the elders means the advancement of the church. Anything that promises an increase of knowledge, zeal and fidelity on the part of the elders is to be welcomed. In this direction these meetings promise much, and if they shall be firmly and wisely held to the object for which they have been instituted there can be no disappointment.

**Programme of the Cumberland County Association to Convene at Galatia Church Friday, August 11th.**

10 A. M.—Opening services and address of welcome by the Superintendent, response by Rev. J. T. Lyon.

SINGING.

11 A. M.—How to get the best work done in the country Sunday-schools, Walter J. Smith.

How to get the best work done in the town Sunday-schools, John A. Oates.

SINGING.

12 M.—The international Sunday-school lessons, Rev. A. J. McKelway.

12:30 P. M.—Intermission for dinner.

2:00 P. M.—SONG.

2:15 P. M.—Uplifting power of the Sunday-school, James Evans, Esq.

2:30 P. M.—Application of ordinary business methods in the Sunday-school, led by J. M. Lamb.

3:00 P. M.—SONG.

What should be the result of Sunday-school teaching, Rev. J. T. Lyon.

3:15 P. M.—Reports from Sunday-schools. Election of officers and delegates to the State Convention with other miscellaneous business.

SINGING.

4:00 P. M.—The benefit of Sunday-school conventions, D. K. McDuffie, Esq.

Last words; impressions; resolves; doxology and benediction.

**Cleanliness is Next to Godliness.**

We would respectfully urge upon the health officers of the city the importance of vigilence in the care for cleanliness in the condition of premises, both public and private. If litter and garbage of a vegetable nature, strewn about, be permitted, exposure to the scorching sunshine, whereby the atmosphere becomes malodorous of decay, sickness, yea more, death will as surely follow as does night the day.

Let everybody assist in aiding the authorities by due care for the cleanl inessof their own premises, and by reporting any nuisances.

**German at Mt. Airy.**

Quite an enjoyable German was given at Mt. Airy last week complimentary to Miss Laura Pemberton of this city, and given by Mr. Goff, of Richmond. The Renfro ball-room was handsomely decorated, the favors costly and beautiful, and the flowers from New York. Miss Pemberton is one of Fayetteville's most charming society belles. Being crowded for space we could not give a full account last week.


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**People and their Movements.**

Sheriff McArtan, of Harnett was in town the past week.

Miss Kate B. Smith is spending a few days at Red Springs.

Miss Kate Elliott, of Elliottsville, is in the city shopping.

Maj. John B. Broadfoot visited Raleigh on business this week.

Mrs. W. A. Robinson is spending the summer at Carlioan Beach.

Miss Bettie Evans has returned from a pleasant trip to the seashore.

Miss Bessie McQuire, of Elmira, N. Y., is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Lula Hawley has returned to the city after a pleasant visit to friends in South Carolina.

Miss Sarah Lippett, of Wilmington, passed through the city on her way to Mt. Airy yesterday.

Mr. John D. Williams, Jr., Jr., who has been spending a few days at Mt. Airy, returned on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Frank Slocomb who has been quite sick for several weeks is convalescing. We will miss Frank at Wilmington.

Messrs. Henry Rankin, and William Whitehead have returned from Chicago, where they spent two weeks seeing the big show.

Maj. W. A. Guthrie and wife, of Durham, so well and favorably known at this their former home, spent several days here the past week.

Rev. A. J. McKelway has been spending a few days at the Beach. He returned and went to Red Springs to attend the Institute yesterday.

Mr. Jno. C. Calvert, so well and favorably known in the cotton business, but now representing the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, is in the city.

Capt. Thos. C. James, Agent of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R. at Wilmington, and Mr. J. W. Martenis, General Freight and Passenger Agent of the W. O. & E. Ca. were guests at the LaFayette Tuesday.

The following gentlemen leave on Saturday for the World's Fair: J. C. Murchison, G. C. Smith, Greensboro; Jas. A. Moore, John MacRae Jas. Kyle J. A. Pemberton, Jr., Thos. Whitted, R. M. Prior and Dr. Marsh.

Mr. Geo. Wightman, Misses Mary and Caro Smith leave for Chicago on Tuesday to attend the Fair. We are sorry Mr. Wightman will not return to this city as he goes direct to Little Rock, Ark., from Chicago.

Dr. H. W. Lilly, President of the Fayetteville Base Ball Club, went down to Wilmington last night to be present at the games between Fayetteville and Rocky Mount. From there he goes to New York on business.

**Off for Wilmington.**

The invincible Base Ball team from this city, under the management of Mr. G. A. Burns, left for Wilmington yesterday evening on the Steamer "Hurt," to play series of three games in that city with Rocky Mount, for the championship of the State. Quite a large crowd accompanied them. The Wilmington Messenger of yesterday says:

The series of games to be played at Hilton Park between the Rocky Mount and Fayetteville teams, was the all absorbing subject of comment yesterday. Interest is certainly at fever heat and we hear that many spectators will be here from Fayetteville, Goldsboro, Rocky Mount, Lumberton and other points.

Money's talking and both sides are being backed by the judgment, confidence and spondulix of their friends.

"Who you bet'n on, Fayetteville or Rocky Mount?" was an oft heard query yesterday. Some predict a victory for the Fayetteville boys and others hold up for the Rockies.

Somebody who knows what good ball is, said yesterday: "I can tell you the Fayetteville boys play mighty good ball. They are hard to beat!"

All of us know what the Rocky Mount club can do, and it is freely declared that the three games of to-morrow, next day and the day after will be the best ball ever played in North Carolina.

These are the people of the two clubs that are to cross bats:

Fayetteville base ball club—Jones, p.; Stafford, c.; Honeycutt, 1 b.; Pemberton, 2 b.; Lanier, s. s.; Dunn, 3 b.; Slocomb, l. f.; Robertson, c. f.; Aldred, r. f.

Rocky Mount base ball club—McGann, p.; Oldham, c.; Keely, 1 b.; Steinmetz, 2 b.; Johnson, s. s.; Mason, 3 b.; Smith, l. f.; Daniel, c. f.; Gregory, r. f.

**A Fayetteville Boy in Washington**

A Washington correspondent of one of the State papers says: "Every now and then I find a North Carolinian here who has recently gone into business. I met one yesterday, a young fellow from Fayetteville, who is employed in a real estate office. While there are some North Carolina lawyers in Washington real estate would seem latterly to be more attractive for the Tar Heels."

**DIED.**

HUNT—At Sanford, N. C., July 23rd, 1893, Mr. BURR JUDSON HUNT. Mr. Hunt was married to Miss Maggie V. Newby January 11th, 1893. He was a devoted member of the M. E. Church.


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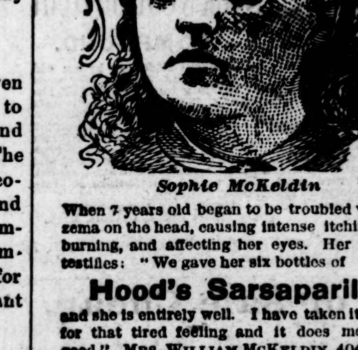

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**Seventy-First Jottings.**

The Township Sunday School Convention which met at MacPherson Church last Friday was largely attended and greatly enjoyed, in fact it was a decided success. The business of the convention was soon dispatched, and then several practical talks were made, but every one acknowledges that Hon. A. D. McGill "our plucky Scotchman," "took the cake" with a very graceful, instructive and entertaining address. Mr. McGill is a sterling worker for Church, Sunday School and Democracy, bearing the stamp of integrity, intellect and hospitality, characteristic of every true Scotchman.

Cedar Creek was well represented by quite a number of young ladies and gentleman. After electing officers for the ensuing year the convention adjourned.

Mr. A. D. McGill, president; J. Newton, vice president; J. D. King, secretary.

I must not forget to mention the beautiful and elegant dinner and quantities of fruit and lemonade. Among the visitors were Misses Louine and Sadie Huske, from Fayetteville, Miss Isabel Fairley from Manchester, Misses Downing and Talbot; Messrs. Calvin and John Malloy, from Lumber Bridge, and Mr. Harrison Bolton and family from Tyrrell's Creek.

Miss Flora McNeill, from Laurinburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. McPherson.

Misses Lizzie and Katie MacPherson, Janie Vaughn, Kate Davis, Eloise McGill and Prof. J. A. McArthur will attend the Institute at Red Springs.


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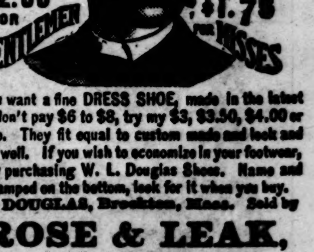


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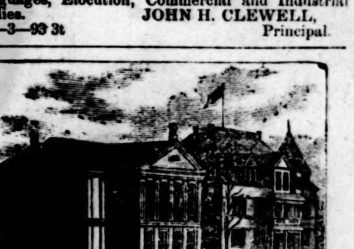

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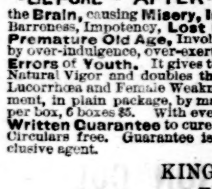


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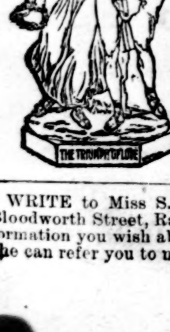


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### Our State at Chicago.

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"CHICAGO, July 4.—On the 4th of July the writer was one of the 300,000 people who visited the World's Fair. It is the day of days to Americans and the manifestation of love of country which it annually calls forth is a hopeful sign of our future as a nation.

"Naturally thousands crowded the government building as the central point of admiration. Here are collected the visible signs of the Government's history, power, wealth and interest in this great Columbian Exposition. It was pleasant to see the intelligent interest of visitors in the relics of the earlier history of the country, the childhood and formative period of our growth and civilization. All day crowds made way for crowds in front of the alcoves in the central rotunda set apart for the exhibits of the original colonies. There are New York, North Carolina, New Jersey, Maryland, Rhode Island and Delaware. Virginia has kept all of her invaluable treasures in the Mt. Vernon building and it makes an unfortunate gap. These cases illustrate the life of a century ago in the historical documents, books, pictures, the gold and siver of domestic use and personal ornaments and wearing apparal. They bring up the field and fireside of the fathers of the Republic. The arrangement of all this is marked with the highest taste and order. The cases are rich ebony and gold, plate glass, lined with rich plush coverlets and the grouping of the exhibits is at once picturesque and instructive.

But beyond all this gratification is the pride that all felt in knowing that the women of the country, through the board of lady managers had prepared all this and were, as always, the teachers of the present and future through the past. A still deeper source of pride was that it was a North Carolina woman, Mrs. George W. Kidder, of Wilmington, our lady manager, who was the presiding spirit and guiding hand in carrying out this great feature of the exposition to a success beyond what was ever hoped. Sprung from a people who made North Carolina the first free colony and have helped her bear all the burdens that fell to her share and more in all her subsequent history, she had the instinct of what this historical exhibit ought to be. The good fortune of education and high culture enabled her to lend a grace to it which has captivated every visitor.

I will not go into details of the special objects exhibited from North Carolina. They embrace the silver communion service of the earliest church in this part of the new world; the swords and fire-arms borne by the early patriots, amongst them an ancestor of our present Governor; the portraits and medallions of our great earlier governors and judges, such as Caswell and Iredell; the ornaments of the men and women of that day and the original seals of the Colonies. Suffice it to say that no exhibit of any State surpasses in richness, variety and exquisite taste of arrangement that made by the Colony of North Carolina. It was very pleasant to sit and hear the unstinted praise not only given her great past but the progressive, patriotic spirit that has made her the leader of all the Southern States in every feature of this exposition. MARSHAL.

### The Hayes-Southern Compact.

One of the fool friends of the late President R. B. Hayes, one Frederick H. Wines, delivered an address at the recent Congress of Charities in Chicago, and while no one was saying anything about the matter had little enough sense to go into a denial of the charge, which the country was willing to let rest, at least until Mr. Hayes got cold in his grave, that he reached the presidential office in pursuance of a bargain to remove the Federal troops from South Carolina and Louisiana. This denial has elicited a statement from Hon. D. H. Chamberlain, now of New York, but at the time of the transaction referred to Governor of South Carolina. There could be but few higher authorities upon the matter in dispute than Mr. Chamberlain, and this is a part of what he writes to the Charleston News and Courier:

"Mr. Wines challenges the world. 'If,' he says, 'any man has direct evidence to the contrary, I challenge him to produce it.' Well, I have the evidence of no less than five who took part in the meeting commonly called the 'Wormley Conference,' who have told me, in detail, the terms of the agreement or understanding between Hayes and Hayes' friends, one or both, and the shrewd, long-headed men of the South, for the removal of the troops. I have seen and read two written memoranda, process verbum, of his agreement or understanding, and know the memoranda and other memoranda to the same effect made by other participants in the conference are now in existence, which will set at rest all doubts of the fact that Hayes was, either by himself or by his friends, or by both, a party, in every sense of the word, to an agreement whereby support of his claims to the presidency was to be rewarded or paid for by the removal of the troops, as it was, in fact, rewarded or paid for.

"Hayes knew it all. He did not contradict his friends. He accepted his seat, secured to him by the support of the South. He removed the troops. Here was a bargain in all its elements. I don't yet call it a 'corrupt' bargain. I think the South, at least, played a fair game of politics. I do not feel called upon to characterize Hayes' part further than to say that he was clearly a party to a bargain or agreement by which he won his seat as President."

We had not supposed there existed any doubt that there was such a bargain as that set forth by Gov. Chamberlain. The counting of the votes of South Carolina and Louisiana for the Democratic State tickets and the Republican national ticket constituted a prima facie case and the subject is one which the negotiators and their friends, as well as the beneficiaries and their friends, could well afford to have forgotten. Mr. Wines has done nothing for the memory of his friend Mr. Hayes in reopening it, but in view of Mr. Chamberlain's statement that he has the evidence of the bargain, the late President's eulogist will not be apt to press the case.

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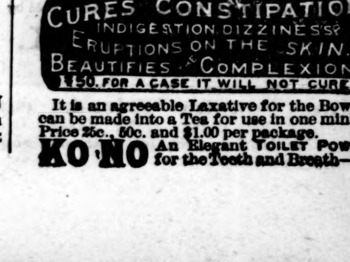


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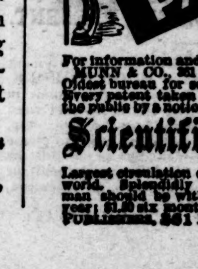


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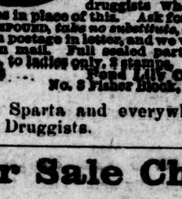

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|---|---|
| Leave Wilmington, | 6:30 a. m. |
| Arrive Fayetteville, | 9:40 " |
| Leave Fayetteville, | 9:50 " |
| Leave Sanford, | 11:10 " |
| Leave Climax, | 1:01 p. m. |
| Arrive Greensboro, | 1.30 " |
| Leave Greensboro, | 1:38 " |
| Leave Stokesdale, | 2:26 " |
| Arrive N & W Jun.—Walnut Cove, | 2:52 " |
| Leave N & W Jun—Walnut Cove, | 3:10 " |
| Leave Rural Hall, | 3:40 " |
| Arrive Mt. Airy, | 5:00 " |

| SOUTH BOUND. | No. 1, Daily, Except Sunday. |
|---|---|
| Leave Mt. Airy, | 10:35 a. m. |
| Leave Rural Hall, | 11:55 " |
| Arrive N & W Jun—Walnut Cove, | 12:25 p. m. |
| Leave N & W Jun—Walnut Cove, | 12:45 " |
| Leave Stokesdale, | 1:11 " |
| Arrive Greensboro, | 2:05 " |
| Leave Greensboro, | 2:15 " |
| Leave Climax, | 2:43 " |
| Leave Sanford, | 4:38 " |
| Arrive Fayetteville, | 6:00 " |
| Leave Fayetteville, | 6:10 " |
| Arrive Wilmington, | 9:25 " |

| NORTH BOUND. | No. 4, Daily, Except Sunday. |
|---|---|
| Leave Bennettsville, | 6:20 a. m. |
| Leave Maxton, | 7:28 " |
| Leave Red Springs, | 8:11 " |
| Leave Hope Mills, | 9:06 " |
| Arrive Fayetteville, | 9:30 " |

| SOUTH BOUND. | No. 3, Daily, Except Sunday. |
|---|---|
| Leave Fayetteville, | 6:15 p. m. |
| Leave Hope Mills, | 6:41 " |
| Leave Red Springs, | 7:36 " |
| Leave Maxton, | 8:15 " |
| Arrive Bennettsville, | 9:25 " |

| NORTH BOUND. | No. 16, Mixed. Daily Except Sunday. |
|---|---|
| Leave Ramseur, | 6:25 a. m. |
| Leave Climax, | 8:15 " |
| Arrive Greensboro, | 9:08 " |
| Leave Greensboro, | 9:20 " |
| Leave Stokesdale, | 10:32 " |
| Arrive Madison, | 11:25 " |

| SOUTH BOUND. | No. 15, Mixed. Daily Except Sunday. |
|---|---|
| Leave Madison, | 12:10 p. m. |
| Leave Stokesdale, | 1:25 " |
| Arrive Greensboro, | 3:00 " |
| Leave Greensboro, | 3:15 p. m. |
| Leave Climax, | 4:05 " |
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### TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

| DATED July 2nd, 1893. | No. 23, Daily. | No. 35, Daily. | No. 41, Daily. | No. 55, Daily Ex. Sunday. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | |
| Leave Weldon.. | 12 35 | 9 53 | 5 00 | |
| Ar. Rocky Mount | 1 42 | 10 45 | 6 20 | |
| Arrive Tarboro.. | 2 35 | | | |
| Leave Tarboro.. | 12 54 | | | |
| | | | | P. M. |
| Lv Rocky Mount | 1 42 | 10 45 | 6 20 | |
| Leave Wilson... | 2 30 | 11 30 | 7 00 | 2 40 |
| Leave Selma.... | | | | 3 30 |
| Lv. Fayetteville | | 1 15 | | 6 00 |
| Arrive Florence. | 10 40 | 3 27 | | 9 05 |
| | | | A. M. | P. M. |
| Leave Wilson... | 2 30 | | 7 00 | |
| Leave Goldsboro. | 3 20 | | 7 47 | |
| Leave Magnolia. | 4 33 | | 8 57 | |
| Ar. Wilmington. | 6 15 | | 10 40 | |
| | P. M. | | A. M. | |

### TRAINS GOING NORTH.

| DATED July 2nd, 1893. | No. 78, Daily. | No. 14, Daily. | No. 40, Daily. | No. 56, Daily Ex. Sunday. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A. M. | P. M. | | A. M. |
| Leave Florence. | 5 10 | 7 30 | | 6 30 |
| Lv. Fayetteville | | 9 33 | | 9 50 |
| Leave Selma.... | | | | 11 49 |
| Arrive Wilson.. | | 11 25 | | 12 50 |
| | A. M. | | P. M. | P. M. |
| Lv. Wilmington. | 9 30 | | 5 00 | |
| Leave Magnolia | 11 10 | | 6 40 | |
| Leave Goldsboro | 12 20 | | 7 47 | |
| Arrive Wilson.. | 1 10 | | 8 34 | |
| | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |
| Leave Wilson... | 1 10 | 11 30 | 8 34 | |
| Ar Rocky Mount | 2 00 | 12 08 | 9 15 | |
| Arrive Tarboro. | 2 35 | | | |
| Leave Tarboro.. | 12 54 | | | |
| Lv Rocky Mount | 2 00 | 12 08 | 9 15 | |
| Arrive Weldon.. | 3 08 | 1 00 | 10 35 | |
| | P. M. | A. M. | P. M. | |

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3:40 P M, Halifax 4:00 P M, arrive Scotland Neck at 4:55 P. M. Greenville 6:37 P. M., Kinston 7:35 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7:20 A M, Greenville 8:22 A M. Arriving Halifax at 11:00 A M, Weldon 11.20 A M, daily except Sunday.

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